REMARKS

Reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested.

Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for the indication that claims 15, 17-27 and 30-38 are allowed and that claims 6, 7 and 12-14 contain patentable subject matter.

Claims 1 and 7 have been amended and claim 6 has been canceled. Objected to dependent claim 6 has been rewritten in independent form by the amendment to claim 1.

Applicants respectfully request further examination and passage of the application to a Notice of Allowability. The Examiner is cordially invited to contact the undersigned by telephone to discuss any unresolved matters.

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